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Hadas, I am forwarding this note to Leslie, hopefully she can answer some of the questions. Do you need help finding the original NPDES Permit? I'd bet that the mining company has this, if not I can see what I can track down here in the Region.

I think Thursday might be better, I've got a couple of EIS that I need to comment on so I might not look at this issue before Tuesday, especially since we have Monday off.

I think the list of addressees is who should be invited.

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Hadas Raanan-Kiperwas	Hi Brent, We went over the information yo...	01/16/2013 03:07:52 PM
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Hi Brent,

We went over the information you've provided us and as articulated by the Corps, the applicant's two main arguments for non-jurisdiction are:

1. The streams and wetlands upstream of the tailing pond are part of the waste treatment system itself.
2. The streams and wetlands upstream of the tailing pond do not have a SN to WUS and are therefore not jurisdictional.

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A point that was not clear to me from reading Lesley's initial email - is this in response to a JD the corps has received? Is it an informal inquiry made by the mining company?

Like you've suggested in your initial email, we should talk about this to coordinate our approaches and understand where we stand - would Tuesday be a good day? Who else from your office should I include on the meeting invite?

Hadas

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